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TAGS: ETRD, GSP

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR BACKUP INFORMATION ON HOST COUNTRIES
GSP SCHEME

REF: STATE 222799

1. AS REPORTED IN REFTTEL, POST IS ASKED TO REVIEW IN ORDER
TO COMMENT AND SUPPLEMENT INFORMATION AVAILABLE ON GSP
SCHEME OF HOST COUNTRY.

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2. THE BASIC FEATURES OF THE SCHEME ARE:

PRODUCT COVERAGE: EXCLUDES INTER ALIA, COTTON TEXTILES,

CERTAIN CHEMICAL PREPARATIONS, STARCH PRODUCTS, AND CERTAIN ORGANIC CHEMICALS IN BTN 25-99. IN BTN 1-24, 54 ITEMS ARE INCLUDED, SUCH AS FISH, FRUITS, COFFEE, TEA, SPICES, COCOA, AND OTHER SUCH PREPARATIONS; INCLUDES SOME HANDICRAFT ITEMS.

DEPTH OF TARIFF CUTS: FIFTY PERCENT PREFERENTIAL TARIFF REDUCTION ON MOST GOODS IN BTN 25-99. VARYING REDUCTIONS FOR GOODS IN BTN 1-24, INCLUDING DUTY FREE ENTRY FOR SOME GOODS.

LIMITATIONS ON ELIGIBLE PRODUCTS: CERTAIN ELIGIBLE TEXTILE PRODUCTS ARE EXCLUDED IF IMPORTED FROM GREECE, PORTUGAL, SPAIN, AND TURKEY.

BENEFICIARIES: GROUP OF 77 AND DEPENDENT TERRITORIES OF AUSTRALIA, SPAIN, PORTUGAL, THE UK AND THE U.S. KISSINGER

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